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Dr. Joshua Lederberg Stanford University School of Medicine Palo Alto, California

Dear Dr. Lederberg:

This note relates to our conversations concerning the informal discussion to be held at the Rockefeller University October 1 on the use of DNA or RNA to supplement the host genome, perhaps using viruses as vectors, in various genetically related disease states. That you can participate will certainly be valuable to the conclusions reached.

Some prefer to arrive Friday night while those in the metropolitan area may not wish to come in until Saturday morning. A preliminary discussion among the early arrivals will be held Friday evening. This will concern various topics to be covered and the general arrangement of the "program". It is hoped that enough space will be available in the visitors quarters at the Rockefeller to house the group. Should, as is unlikely, this not be the case, some will be housed nearby.

Your expenses, i.e. travel, housing, food, etc. will be paid in accordance with existing ORNL policy. The forms for reimbursement will be supplied at the meeting. Due to government policy, it is requested that you try to obtain tourist class reservations on the plane. It is recognized that this is not always possible.

The meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. October 1. Directions to the conference room in which it will be held will be obtainable from the receptionist in the main building.

Will you please let me know your approximate time of arrival and departure.

Sincerely yours,

Stanfield Rogers Biology Division

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